Narrandera Public School Informer



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Principal - Mr Brent Fennessy

Term 1, Week 5

Tuesday, 21st February, 2023

Calendar

Week 5

Wednesday, 22nd February

- **♦**Book Fair
- Thursday, 23rd February
- ◆Book Fair—Last Day

Week 6

Wednesday, 1st March AFL Trials @ Narrandera Friday, 3rd March

◆Assembly

Week 7

Monday, 6th March

- ◆Young Leaders
- Tuesday, 7th March
- ◆Young Leaders
 Wednesday, 8th March
- ◆Year 4 Camp
- Thursday, 9th March
- ◆Year 4 Camp
- ◆Rugby Trials @ Parkview
- ◆Riverina Basketball Albury

Friday, 10th March

- ♦Year 4 Camp
- ◆Riverina AFL Trials Narrandera

LNPSSA Basketball

On Thursday 9th February, NPS students attended the LNPSSA Basketball at Parkview Public School. It was a fantastic day, with each student putting in a lot of effort to represent themselves and their school.

NPS Girls 21 to Parkview 46

NPS Boys 35 to Parkview 20

NPS 27 to Parkview 59

Parkview girls and Leeton PS boys will progress to the next round.







Be Respectful

Be Responsible

Be Safe

Be a Learner

What an amazing turnout we had last week for our parent afternoon. It was so positive to see so many of our community chatting with staff and learning more about their child's learning. As I said on the night, please do not wait for formal occasions to visit or engage with your child's teacher to keep up to date with their progress.

This week the hall is full of wonderful books from our annual Book Fair. This is a great chance to add to your child's library, while also helping the school purchase news books for our library. The Book Fair will run before school from 8.30am to 9.10am and then again during lunchtimes. Parents are welcome to attend the Book Fair. Please sign in via the Front Office upon arrival.

Last week I was able to spend time at the Stage 3 Touch Footy Gala day and I was proud to see the fantastic behaviour and sportsmanship being shown by our students.

As some of you would know our school runs a bus in the mornings to pick up students who may not be able to access the town buses. Unfortunately, this bus service is full every day and we are unable to pickup any extra students. We are looking at different options and apologise to those who we are currently unable to pick up.

Notes for our major excursions will be out in the comings days with Stage 3 heading to Canberra and Year 4 camping. This year you are able to use the back-to-school vouchers to help pay for these excursions which is a great opportunity to help alleviate the costs of these wonderful opportunities. You will need to present your voucher to the Front Office to be redeemed. Please note that any amount not redeemed in a single transaction will be forfeited i.e. change cannot be issued.

As we are well into the term, it is important every student is at school each day unless they are unwell. If your child is unwell, please make contact with the school as soon as possible to explain their absence. A sick day of 2 or more days should be accompanied with a medical certificate if this is possible. If you plan on taking leave or holidays, please let the Front Office know as soon as possible.

With health and safety on the agenda, please be reminded that aerosol cans (insect repellent and deodorant) are not permitted at school or on school sporting excursions due to the risk posed to asthmatics. The use of roll on is permitted and preferrable.

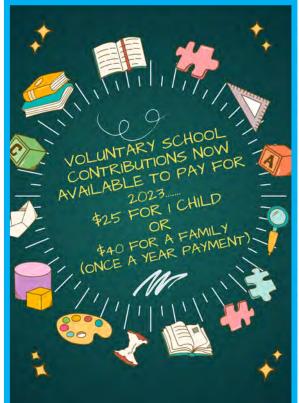
Have a great week!

Brent Fennessy Principal Principal: Brent Fennessy
Assistant Principal: Julie Neville Stage 1
Assistant Principal: Helen Files Stage 2

Assistant Principal: Julie-Anne Rowe/Toni Kerr Stage 3

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Aboriginal Education News

Cultural lessons

We have started cultural lessons with all students in all stages at NPS. Students in Stage 1 are learning some Wiradjuri language through song. Stage 2 are learning weaving and will be making a small dilly bag. Stage 3 are making a set of clap sticks each from raw wood, by hand sanding and smoothing with only sandpaper. We can't wait to see the finished clapsticks.

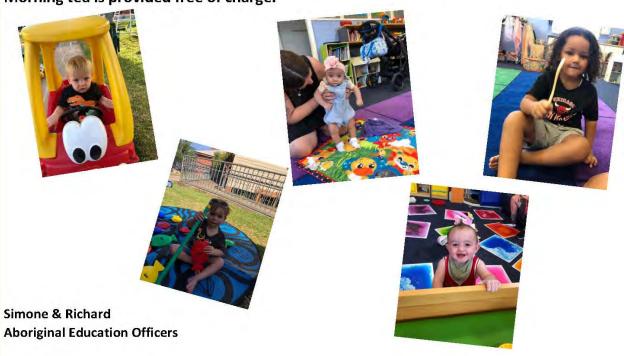


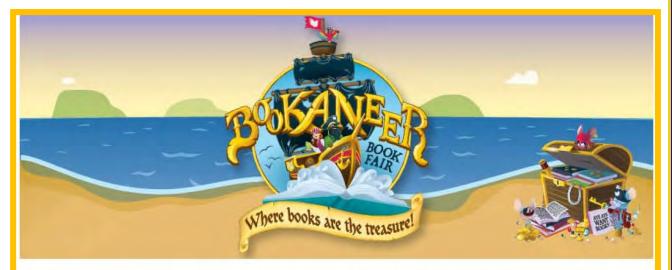




Little Booris playgroup

Playgroup has started back up for 2023. We have been lucky with some beautiful weather, so we have been outside for some fun water play. At playgroup we have fun doing craft, playing, and making new friendships. Playgroup is for children aged 0-5 years. Morning tea is provided free of charge.





Date: Monday 20th February to Thursday 23rd February



Time: Starting Monday lunchtime

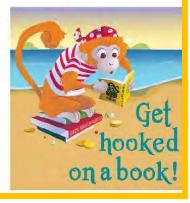
Before school – Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday Lunchtimes – Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday

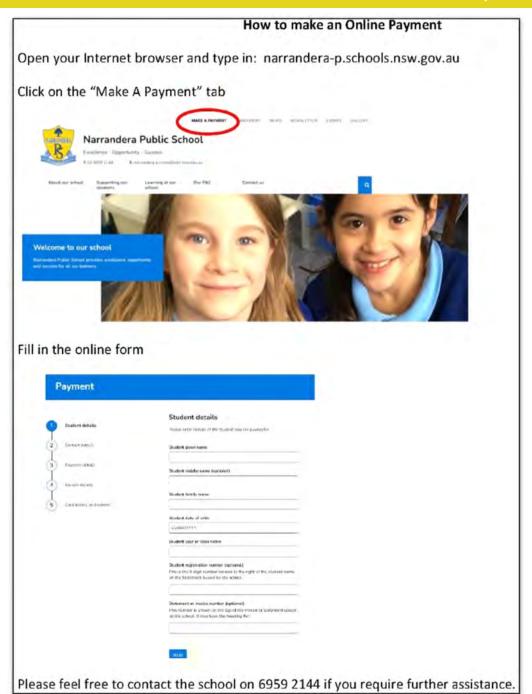
Place: NPS School Hall

LOTS OF BOOKS, POSTERS, COOL STATIONARY ITEMS WILL BE AVAILABLE!

Prices start from \$1.00

Every purchase helps our school buy more great books for our school library.







Back to School Vouchers can be used to pay for school excursions such as the Yr 4 Camp or Yr 5/6 Excursion.

Any amount not redeemed in a single transaction is forfeited.

Please present your voucher to the Front Office to redeem.

Assembly Awards 17.02.23













In the classroom with KL





COMMUNITY EVENTS:



2023 Autumn - Junior Competitions You must register online by Mon 20 Febru-

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Comp Starts: Wed I March (boys) & Thu 2

March (girls)

Grand Finals: Wed 7 June & Thu 8 June
Junior Comp fees are \$80 (\$10 Association

+ \$70 court fees) + renewal your annual Basketball NSW membership if it's due.

You can use your Active Kids Voucher. https://membership.mygameday.app/

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ENQUIRIES: Messenger to Spirit FM or contact SUE RUFFLES 0477 753 519

Our School has students who are highly allergic to NUTS and NUT PRODUCTS

We seek your co-operation in trying to keep our school NUT FREE

LEETON SCHOOL DENTAL CLINIC

The School Dental Clinic is available for all children aged from 0 - 18 years of age. We encourage all parents to make an appointment for your child to have a full dental check. Treatment at our clinic is <u>FREE</u> to all children who have a Medicare card. To make an appointment please telephone our call centre on

1800 450 046

We hope to see you soon!!!



COMMUNITY EVENTS:



THE WOMEN'S HEALTH NURSE IS VISITING NARRANDERA COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTRE

On: Friday 24th March 2023



For an appointment

- RING 1800 654 324











24-02-23 10-03-23 24-03-23











NARRANDERA TENNIS CLUB INC. BACK TO WEEKEND

SATURDAY 25th March 2023.

COMMENCES at 10am with Registration and Tennis

LUNCH & AFTERNOON TEA AT THE CLUBHOUSE: \$15 TENNIS & LUNCH \$5 LUNCH ONLY

AFTERNOON TEA - MEMBERS PLEASE BRING A CAKE OR OTHER SUITABLE ITEM TO SHARE

DINNER:

LAZY LIZARD RESTAURANT GATEWAY MOTEL, NARRANDERA

6 pm start

COST: Pay for your own meal

SUNDAY 26th March 2023.

TENNIS: Commencing 10.30 am (Numbers permitting)

LUNCH:

LIGHT LUNCH AT THE CLUB HOUSE

COST

\$15 TENNIS & LUNCH \$5 LUNCH ONLY

Please register your intention to attend by 20th March 2023

narranderatennisclub@gmail.com Phone: Betsy - 0427 508 278 or P.M on our Facebook page

EFTPOS FACILITIES ARE AVAILABLE AT THE CLUB

BACK TO NARRANDERA TENNIS CLUB

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Narrandera Tennis Club is going through a phase of regeneration. With this

happening, our thoughts turned to the past.

We are planning to have a weekend of reminiscing & fun tennis with the people that helped make Narrandera tennis Club the welcoming, family friendly club it is today.

We invite all players & members, past & present to join us on Saturday the 25th of March 2023, for social tennis, lunch & of course a wonderful afternoon tea.

There will be the option of an evening meal at a local restaurant for those interested.

If you no longer play tennis, no problem! Come along & catch up with some old opponents or partners & relive those glory days.

If we have enough interest we will also have tennis & lunch at the clubhouse on Sunday the 26th of March.

We ask that everyone helps spread the word and passes this flyer along to anyone you have contact with who may be interested.

The current committee of N.T.C is working on redevelopment & refurbishment plans & these will be on show at the clubhouse over the Back To weekend.

> For further details please contact any of the following; Wesley Hall - Secretary 0447 004 040 Glenys Walton - Treasurer 0428 593 401 Betsy Durnan - President 0427 508 278 Or p.m. us on our Facebook page

> > See you at Narrandera Tennis Club.
